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ITALY SAYS AUSTRIA DIDN'T KEEP TREATY

Paris, May 24.-The statement in the communication given out by the Austrian foreign office that Austria was under no obligations to give Italy previous notice of its ultimatum to Serbia agree neither with the letter nor the spirit of the triple alliance treaty, according to a communication treaty, according to a communication issued at Rome, says a Havas despatch from that city. It is asserted in the Italian capital that while the terms of the treaty provide for an exchange of views on all political and economic questions which might arise, the Austrian government failed to

KING CONSTANTINE BETTER

Washington, May 24-King Constantine, of Greece, is improved, ac-cording to a despatch received at the legation here. The King's fever has abated, the message says.

MELLISH COMET GOING TO PIECES, IS REPORT.

Flagstaff, Ariz., May 24.-Observa tion and photographs made recendy of the Mellish comet at the Lowell ob-C. Slipper, indicate that the comet has What forces or accident of approach have occasioned the disruption it/is said to-day had not been

LADY MACCABEES CONVENE.

New York, May 24,-Delegates representing 186,000 women in every, state in this country and several Canadian provinces, gathered here to-day to attend the supreme review of the Women's Benefit Association, Ladies of the Maccabees of the World. The review will continue throughout the week and will include an elec-

WEATHER FORECAST

New Haven, May 24—Fore-last: showers this afternoon and onight; Tuesday probably fair. Connecticut: showers tonight; Fuesday partly cloudy. Moderate shifting winds shifting winds.

A disturbance which is central

this morning over western Pennsylvania is causing unsettled showery weather from the Ohio valley eastward to the coast. Heavy thunderstorms are reported from many places during the past 24 hours. The greatest rainfall reported was 3.90 inches at Augusta, Ga.. Rain has fallen during the last 24 hours over the greater part of the corn and greater part of the corn and wheat belts and over the northern portion of the cotton belt.

Contributions amounting to \$830 were received by August Belmont, son was opened. rensurer of the Committee of Mercy or the Dustania relief fund started

Mrs. E. H. Harriman As She Looked At



Society has gone in for racing. With the revival of the sport of kings at Belmont park race track, New York there was a great gathering of society In the accompanying illustration Mrs. E. H. Harriman, the widow of the late railroad magnate, is The boxes, club balcony and lawn in the inclosure were filled with persons of prominence in the social

New York, May 24 .- Opening .- Italy's formal entrance into the Euro-pean conflict was met by another imnediate rise in war shares at the pening of today's market. Crucible teel, last week's sensational feature. opened with an exchange of 5,000 shares at 34 to 34 3-4, a new high price and a gain of 2.3-4 over last Saturday. Bethlehem Steel, Westinghouse and other issues coming within the scope of war contracts, rose 1 to 3 points. United States Steel was in good demand, advancing a point, and metal shares gained material fractions or more. Investment rallways joined the rise in more moderate degree, but reflected confident absorption.

Noon—More mature consideration of the latest war developments seemed to invite realizing sales after the early advance and the market suffered a severe reversal before the end of the first hour. Bethlehem Steel made a maximum decline of nine points, Westinghouse 5 1-2 and Crucible Steel Bonds were irregular.

(T. L. Watson & Co. It is important to recall that, conoident with the strong natural features outlined above, there has reion of weak accounts in the stock market. The extravagance of speculation, which excited some apprehension a short time ago, has been eliminated, thus fortifying the technical Inside as weel as outside the Stock Exchange, conditions are of a character to inspire ultimate reflection of sound prosperity and a courage to confront any untoward shock.

OBITUARY

MARY J. ALVORD. The funeral of Mary J. Alvord who died in New York last week, was held this afternoon at Grace M. E. church The services were largely attended. Interment was in Moun-

tain Grove cemetery.

MARCELLA FORD.

Many friends attended the funeral of Marcella Ford, who passed away on Friday morning at St. Vincent's hospital, from her late home, 1,387 Main street, at 9:30 and 10 o'clock Rev. Father Reilly celebrated a requiem bigh mass. During the services several appropriate selections were rendered. As the body was carried from the church Prof. Brisboise sang "Nearer, My God, to Thee," The bearers were James Donnelly, Michael Masterson, James Horahan, John Ford, William Hulton and Thomas McQuillan. Interment was in the family plot in St. Augustine's cemetery.

SCREEN MUNICIPAL BUILDING FOR FLIES.

Screens were placed in the winlows of the charities and health department rooms to-day.

CIRCUS VENDORS ARRIVE.

popcorn yendors who travel with the Ringling show have arrived here for ousiness. They will have to procure icenses, which will cost them \$2.

JAMES CARROLL H.L.

James Carroll, a mechanic of 113 Black Rock avenue, was taken sud-denly ill at 1:30 o'clock this morning and was taken to the Bridgeport

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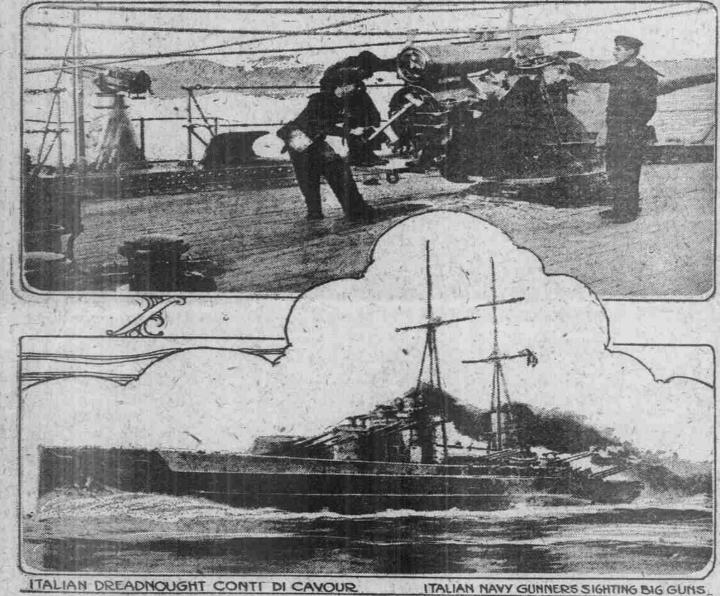
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ITALY HAS BEEN PREPARING HER NAVY FOR YEARS SEEKING CONTROL OF THE ADRIATIC

SHIRT WAISTS.



That Italy has been preparing her navy for years for the part it must now play in the European struggle is well known to all military observers on the continent. The immediate task devolving upon the Italian naval forces is the protection of a long and vulnerable coast line, and the task has not been andered easier by the knowledge that within the last five years Austria-Hungary has been making additions to the navy of the dual monarchy in the shape of super-Dreadnoughts of a most formidable type. Italy is better prepared today, it is onceded, to cope with the Austro-Hungarian fleet than would be the case two or three years from now, and as between Italy and Austria, the question uppermost in the minds of Italian statesmen has always been one having to do with the control of the Adriatic. In the accompanying illustration are shown one of the most formidable of the Italian Dreadnoughts, the Conti Di Cavour, and Italian gunners aboard one of the warships.

MAY DRAIN POND TO RECOVER BODY OF MISSING MAN

Dragging Bottom Has No Result | Says Government Must Proin Search for Joseph Heindowsky

Berkshire pend may be drained in the effort to recover the body of Joseph Heindowsky of 125 Island Brook avenue, who is believed to have been drown Friday when he rowed out on the pend in the effort to make a short cut to his home. Search is still being made for him by the police and David Goldstein, a waterfront worker, who has dragged the bottom of the pond.

It has been suggested that the pond be drained but the owner declared Many circus peanut, lemonade and that the body would probably be opcorn yendors who travel with the washed through the race. Those who put forward the suggestion now

> Heindowsky has been missing from home since Friday evening when he became intoxicated in a saloon and conceived the idea of going home by way of Berkshire pond. The boat he used was later found bottom up, and it is concluded that Heindowsky was drowned. The pond was dragged yesterday Much refuse was brought to the sur-

> > DR. MARDLE DEAD.

be found.

face but Heindowsky's body couldn't

Westport, May 24-Dr. J. H. Mc-Ardle, dentist, died here last night ed to his welcome after an illness of about a year. He was suffering from a cancer.

At a special Communication of St. John's lodge, No. 3, to be held at Masonic Temple, Wednesday evening, May 28, at 7:30 o'clock, the M. M. degree will be conferred.

PRESIDENT URGES DEVELOPMENT OF AMERICAN TRADE

vide Ships If Private Capital Refuses.

Washington, May 24-President Wilson, speaking at the opening of the Pan-American Financial Conference here today, expressed the hope that the Americans might show the world the path of peace. The President was loudly applauded by the delegates as he entered the hall of the Americas n the Pan-American bulding, where On the platform were members of

the cabinet and the audience included

many high government officials, in addition to the representatives South and Central American countries. The President declared the people suggest that a piece of iron fencing of the Americas were not trying to would obviate that possibility. trying to be of us to one another. He spoke of the "handsome rivalry" spoke of the "handsome rivalry" which, he said, was good for nations. The lack of physical means of communication bleween the Americas, he said, stood somewhat in the way of the development of commerce and friendship. In advocating more ships Pan-American trade and the openng of new routes, the President said that if private capital cannot provide means of such communication the government must undertake to do so. At the conclusion of the President's address he was applauded again. He remained in the hall while representatives of the different nations respond-

> President Wilson spoke as follows: this sort. trying to make use of each other, but Har footing of intercourse

"It is very surprising to me, it is even a source of mortification, that a conference like this should have been so long delayed, that it should never have occurred before, that it should have required a crisis of the world to show the Americans how truly they vere neighbors to one another. there is any one happy circumstance gentlemen, arising out of the distress ing circumstances of the war, it is that which has revealed us to one another, it has shown us what it means to be neighbors. And I cannot help harboring the hope, the very high hope, that by this commerce of minds with one another as well as ommerce in goods, we may show the world the path to peace. "I am so keenly aware that the perfectly certain that this is the only basis for the friendship of nations, this handsome rivalry, this rivalry in which there is no dislike; this rivalny

in which there is nothing but the ope of a common elevation in great enterprises which we can undertake in common. "There is one thing that stands in our way among others for you are more conversant with the circumstances than I am; the things I have chiefly in mind is that physical lack of means of communication, the lack vehicles; the lack of ships; the lack of established routes of trade; the lack of those things which are absolutely necessary if we are to have true com-mercial and intimate commercial relations with one another, and I am per-fectly clear in my judgment that if private capital cannot soon enter upon the adventure of establishing these physical means of communication, the

government must undertake to do so We cannot indefinitely stand apart and need each other for the lack of what can easily be supplied, and if one instrumentallty cannot supply it then another must be found which will sup-"There can be no sort of union of interest if there is a purpose of exploitation on the part of any person deal with each other unless we comconnected with a great conference of municate with each other. So soon a We are not, therefore, we communicate and are upon a fami-

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other and the bonds between the by the Hon, William H. Comley, form-Americas will be such bonds that no erly Judge of the city court and at Americas will be such solution influence that the world may produce present member of the State senate.

In the future will ever break them.

Judge Comley is an Interesting in the future will ever break them.

"If I am selfish for America, I at speaker and his address will be least hope that my selfishness is en-lightened. The selfishness that hurts graduating class will be presented basis of personal friendship is the theother party is not enlightened sel-competition in excellence that I am fishness. If I were going upon a mere laren Richardson, pastor of the ground of selfishness I would seek to church. Invitations to the affair were benefit the other party and so tie him issued today but admission is not reto myself; so that even if you were to stricted to invitation. All persons insuspect me of selfishness I hope you terested in the training school, or its will also suspect me of intelligence and of knowing the only safe way for the present.

> desire and which we would feel honored if we could earn and win. "I have said these things because they will perhaps enable you to understand how far from formal my wel-come to this body is. It is a welcome from the heart, it is a welcome from odore H. McDonald, former state inthe head, it is a welcome inspired by what I hope are the highest ambitions for those who live in these two great continents, who seek to set an example to the world in freedom of institutions. freedom of trade and intelligence of mutual service."

establishment of the things which we

Bridgeport Hospital Nurses to Get Diplomas At Presbyterian Church

The annual graduation exercises of the training school for nurses of the Bridgeport Hospital, will be held on church on State street. An interesting program has been arranged for the exercises, a feature of which will

COL. T. H. M'DONALD THEOTER DIES AT NEW HAVEN

New Haven, May 24 --- Colonel Thesurance commissioner, and well known in Republican circles throughout the state, died at his home here today at the age of 53. He suffereda shock last Wednesday night, became unconscious and remained in that condition up to the time of his

death. He had been in ill health for several years but was apparently recovering. He is survived by his widow and a son. Colonel MacDonald was appointed in 1907 as insurance commissioner by Governor Woodruff and served one term of four years.

Roy Champlin was found guilty at Belmont, N. Y., of the murder of his Thursday evening, May 27, 1915, at Belmont, N. Y., of the murder of his 5:30 o'clock at the First Presbyterian uncle, Henry McGhee of Wellsville. He was sentenced to die in the electric chair.

we are trying to be of use to one another, we shall understand one and be an address to the graduating class Farmer Wan; Ads. One Cent a Wood